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CATTLE FEEDERS' MEETING MARCH 19

Visit of State Experiment Station Experts to Madison is Postponed a Week

Demonstration of beef cattle feeding and meeting of prominent cattle men which had been called to be held here next Saturday, March 12, has been postponed until Saturday, March 19, according to a message which Charles H. Jett had from the State Experiment Station at Lexington on Wednesday.

A delegation of cattle feeding experts from the University will be on hand, headed by M. O. Hughes. Cattle feeders and others interested in the preservation and upbuilding of the live stock industry of Kentucky are urged to attend this meeting, for undoubtedly they will hear something to their advantage. Mr. Jett expects to have full details within few days as to the program of the day, and it will be published when received.

MARRIED MOTHER TO SPITE DAUGHTER

Now Love's Young Dream is Over and Autumn and Spring-time Will Separate

Chicago, March 10 — The romance of a boy and a woman old enough to be his mother went on the shoals today.

"This is the result of folly. I must have been crazy when I subjected myself to the marriage," declared Winston Phillips, 19 years old, son of Dr. William Phillips, dentist in the Boston building, Louisville, as he sat in his room in the Auditorium Hotel today, reminiscent of becoming the husband of Mrs. Lella Gaines Phillips, 42 years old, mother of four children and widow of J. Russell Gaines, former Jefferson county engineer.

"I was engaged to Susan Gaines 19 years old, daughter of my present wife," he said, "but the elopement last Friday to Shelbyville, Ky., ended that."

"I realize I have made a mistake," said Mrs. Phillips. "I intend to return home in a few days. I first decided to go through with the honeymoon, but my love for my children is too dominant."

The handsome young husband apparently was not perturbed by his wife's declaration. His large brown eyes centered upon a design in the carpet as though his mind reflected those happy days he had passed with Susan before becoming infatuated with the mother.

"I'd like to see my wife go back to her home, but there is a question of doubt whether Susan and her three sisters will regard her as a mother now. They were distracted when we first mentioned our contemplated wedding. I am sure the wound we have caused them is too deep to have become healed in these few days."

"It is merely the old story," he said.

"This is the greatest experience I have encountered and one which I will profit by in the future. I will never return to my home in Louisville. The humiliation upon facing the daughter would be unbearable."

Phillips was asked if he really loved the woman he married. "I refuse to answer such a personal question," he said, "but as far as I can now appraise myself I married the mother to conquer the daughter."

The latter and her sisters, he said, strongly objected to the marriage of their mother and Phillips.

"The reason they objected to the marriage was because they said they never would call me 'daddy.' When we told the daughter to whom I had been engaged that her mother and I were married, she screamed hysterically and fell to the floor in a faint. Besides being engaged to the daughter, I was also engaged to another 19-year-old girl who is prominent in society circles in Louisville."

"The breaking of the engagement with the other girl is really of very little consequence for I never cared a great deal for her."

However, I regret the pain I have caused Susan, and hope at some later time to be able to make reparation."

Regarding his real estate project, Phillips said: "Although my wife is worth approximately \$100,000, I will accept no financial assistance from her."

"I don't intend to ever try and resume friendship with the daughter Susan. It would be useless. She told me the night her mother and I eloped that she hated me and would never speak to me again."

The Weather
Fair tonight and Friday; rising temperature.

FARMER IS HELD UP BY YOUTHS IN CLARK

Winchester, Ky., March 10—Charles Rogers, of the Ecton pike was the victim of one of the bold attempts at hold-up in the county in many months. While returning to his home about six o'clock, riding a horse, he was held up at the Stoner Bridge, 7 miles from Winchester, by two young men about twenty years of age, who demanded his money and his belongings. Mr. Rogers had nothing but a pocket knife, which he handed over. They later gave it back. According to Rogers they held him for about 15 minutes and after they found that he did not have any money requested him to give them a check. Upon advising them that he did not have any blank checks they instructed him to continue on his journey. One of them wore overalls, tan shoes and blue serge cap, the other was wearing a pea green suit and hat and English walking shoes. Both were slender.

TRAIN CREW JUMP IN FEAR OF WRECK

Danville, Ky., March 10—Southern Railway freight train crew, composed of Conductor Brinkley Brakemen S. Williams and O. C. West, and Engineer Clancy McWhorter and Fireman S. G. Minor, had a blood curdling experience when the air brakes on their train failed to operate at Alpine south of here. The train was going full speed down grade when the electric block signals showed red.

The men worked frantically to stop the train, but it continued to gain speed through its own momentum. The possible crash with another train and the death or injury of crews loomed before them. McWhorter, Minor and West, who were on the engine, jumped. Minor landed on his head. His nose was broken and 18 gashes were cut in his face. McWhorter and West were also injured.

Brinkley and Williams who were in the caboose, remained with the train until it encountered an upgrade, and came to a stop a mile further on, only a few feet distant from another train headed in the opposite direction and which had stopped when the signals showed warning.

The injured men were brought to Danville for treatment after having remained several hours on the roadside before they were located.

FRENCH ASK HARDING TO FAVOR A LEAGUE

(By Associated Press)
Paris, March 10—It is stated at the Foreign Office today that negotiations are under way between the French embassy in Washington and the State Department in an effort to induce President Harding to favor acceptance of modified League of Nations.

Otis Skinner Show Off

The Otis Skinner performance at Lexington tonight has been called off, folks here who had reserved seats, were notified by telephone from Lexington this morning. News came that Mr. Skinner's private car was destroyed by fire, necessitating cancellation of the engagement at Lexington until new equipment could be secured.

We have a supply of tobacco bed fertilizer. Douglas & Simmons.

\$600,000 RAISE ON MADISON TAXPAYERS

State Tax Commission Slaps on Another Local Increase of Over Half a Million

Notwithstanding the fact that County Tax Commissioner Ben R. Powell's books show an increase of taxable property in Madison county over half a million dollars greater than the year before, the State Tax Commission at Frankfort, has ordered the Board of Tax Supervisors to slap on another \$600,000 raise to Madison county taxpayers. And this too in the face of the fact that farm lands have greatly decreased in value within the past six months.

County Judge W. K. Price and Deputy Tax Commissioner Will W. Adams, went to Frankfort Thursday to take up the matter with the Tax Commission and endeavor to show them the absolute injustice of such an increase at the present time. The assessment of Madison as completed by Tax Commissioner Powell figured \$26,312,170, an increase of \$517,680 over the preceding year, which was \$25,794,490. And now the State Tax Commission says Madison taxpayers must pay still more taxes on \$600,000 additional.

Judge Price has named eight supervisors from the various magisterial districts of the county to pass upon the assessment. The local tax supervisors, however, are completely at the mercy of the State Tax Commission and under the law are compelled to obey its mandates. But one county in Kentucky has ever "gone to the mat" with the State Tax Commission and that was Fayette. There the officials defied the state board to such an extent that a compromise was finally reached, it was given out. The supervisors named by Judge Price for Madison county are Messrs. N. B. Deatherage, B. E. Million, Waller Bennett, C. L. Tipton, C. F. Park, T. B. Stephens, Jargis Brandenburg, and T. J. Jones.

HARDING APPOINTS A LIFE-LONG FRIEND

(By Associated Press)
Washington, March 10—D. R. Crissinger, of Marion, O., was nominated today to be Comptroller of the Currency, to succeed John Skelton Williams. Crissinger is a lawyer and banker, and Harding's life-long friend.

My, But They're Pie Hungry

Washington, March 10—The deluge of patronage recommendations has engulfed President Harding ever since he took office, reached a new high water mark today. The executive wing of the White House was crowded with visitors to talk about appointments, ranging from Ambassadors to postmasters. During the morning standing room was at premium in Secretary Christian's office.

PANAMA REFUSES TERRITORIAL AWARD

(By Associated Press)
Washington, March 10—Panama refuses to accept the White award as a basis of peace with Costa Rica, it informs the American government in a note made public today.

Receiving daily fresh Newlights, Cat Fish, Salmon, Carp, Halibut, Herring—NEFF'S Fish and Oyster House, Phone 431. th fri sat

THIRD MYSTERIOUS FIRE IN LEXINGTON

(By Associated Press)
Lexington, March 10—Fall Mahoney's vacant residence burned today. The blaze originated in the attic. It is third mysterious fire in the Highlawn section within 10 days.

Block coal \$8 per ton delivered in city; \$7 at yards. L. O. Powers, Francis street, phone 180. th

A Billy Sunday Joke

In his sermon at Cincinnati Wednesday night, Billy Sunday told a joke to emphasize his argument for bigger collections. It was about an old farmer, who, after much urging, had been induced to give \$5 to the collection in a church.

A few days later the old farmer declared the Lord had ruined him after he had made the Lord a present of the money.

"He let my pigs get out last night—He's ruined me," said the farmer.

"Huh, you can't expect God Almighty to sit up all night and watch your pig-pen all night for \$5, can you?" he was told.

MOUNTAIN SCHOOL BURNS AT ANNVILLE

News was received here Thursday from Annville, Jackson county, that the large seminary there had been destroyed by fire. There were no details given in regard to the cause of the fire or amount of the loss. The loss must have been quite heavy, however, for the institution was one of the best equipped in the mountain section, with many buildings and several dormitories. It is expected by those who are conversant with the institution that perhaps the loss is not complete, as several of the buildings were separated by short distances and the fire may not have destroyed them all.

W. A. Worthington is head of the work of the schools there. Annville lies a mile from Bond, the seat of the big Bond-Foley Lumber Company. The Jackson County Fair is held at Annville each year.

Funeral Services of Miss Lanter

The funeral services of Miss Clara Lanter, who died in Asheville, Tuesday morning, will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the First Baptist church in Richmond, conducted by her pastor, Dr. O. Olin Green. Interment will be in Richmond cemetery.

RUSSIAN CAPITAL SEEMS ISOLATED

(By Associated Press)
Copenhagen, March 10—Helsingfors dispatches say there was virtually no firing yesterday between the combatant troops in the Petrograd area. The stream of fugitives from Russia into Finland has almost ceased, indicating Petrograd is isolated.

ON OTHER FLOORS

Carrollton—Sales on the market were 186,095 pounds and \$16.65 was the average.

Frankfort—The tobacco sales here totaled 110,000 pounds, averaging \$12 per 100 pounds, and ranging to \$54 per hundred.

Lexington—Prices ranged as high as \$67 a hundred from less than \$1 a hundred on the market, which was somewhat stronger when the quality of the leaf offered was taken into consideration. Receipts were light, showing that the market is beginning to fall off, and warehousemen believe the rush season is over.

Paris—The Paris tobacco market, quality considered, was the best of the season. From the present indication, for the first time since the inception of the market this season, the close will see the price higher than at the opening. The Bourbon house sold 134,065 pounds of very low grade tobacco at an average of \$11.51.

Maysville—The Maysville tobacco market scored another record-breaking price sale when, when scores of crops went over the \$30 average, one crop at the Growers' House selling for \$44 while at the Farmers and Planters house, Fagan and Botts, of Bracken county sold 2,745 pounds at \$51.82 per 100. Total sales were 542,560 pounds.

Shelbyville — Market strong. Star House sold 338,100 pounds at an average of \$16.89. Prices ranged from \$1 to \$80.

EXPECT TO RESUME SCHOOL ON MONDAY

Enough Rooms Have Been Offered, It Is Believed, to House All Caldwell Students

Although a number of the youngsters were hoping there would be no more school until Caldwell graded school is rebuilt, they're going to be disappointed.

The City School Board and Superintendent Payne plan to start studies again next Monday. Many of the churches of town have proffered use of their Sunday school rooms. Four grades will be accommodated at the court house if the fiscal court endorses county Judge Price's offer.

The School Board met Thursday morning with Superintendent Payne. The city ministers and other met with them. The situation was thoroughly canvassed. The board and Superintendent Payne are very anxious to continue school work and complete the term's curriculum so that promotions of the pupils in their studies may not be disarranged.

A number of the teachers offered their Sunday School rooms outright; others will refer their offers to their church boards and advise what may be done. As tentatively offered and arranged, it is planned to take care of most of the teaching through the following offering of accommodations, if finally approved:

Two rooms at the Methodist church.

One room at the First Baptist church.

One room at the Second Presbyterian church, perhaps two.

One room at the Second Christian church.

One room may be obtained at the First Christian church.

One room at Eastern Normal.

Four rooms at the court house.

Two rooms at the Madison High building at present and more later.

President Payne has called a meeting of the faculty of the city schools to be held Saturday afternoon at Madison High building at 3 o'clock. Plans will then be made for continuing the work. Due announcement will be made a little later just when the various grades will be held.

Exact information as to the amount of insurance available as a result of the fire early Wednesday morning has not yet been compiled. Several local insurance men who have the school's policies are out of the city, and until they return and get together it will not be known the exact amount. School Board officials say that their figures show that about \$25,000 was carried on the burned buildings. It is figured that \$100,000 will be necessary to put the school back into habitable shape again.

The flames continued to eat into the guts of the building for several hours Wednesday morning. Constant pouring of water into the debris seemed to have quenched it before noon. However, smoke and flames were noticed late in the afternoon and the fire department went out again at supper time and gave the ruins a further drenching.

No new developments have occurred to throw further light on the cause of the fire. Opinion seems to be unanimous that the blaze started in the furnace room through some mischance.

Dr. Pryor, Veterinarian, phone 952

YANKS MAY NOT BE USED TO HELP ALLIES

(By Associated Press)
Washington, March 10—American troops on the Rhine are "standing pat." Secretary Weeks said today. There is no indication the army will be used to assist the Allies in occupying German cities.

Another Chicago Murder

(By Associated Press)
Chicago, March 10—Another murder, the third in three days, in the 19th ward, which recently was the scene of several bombings during the bitter aldermanic election campaign, was revealed to the police today when three men on their way to work found the body of a man under the elevated line track.

Today's Livestock Markets

Cincinnati, March 10 — Cattle strong; hogs steady; Chicago 27-000; 25c higher.

Louisville, Mar. 10—Cattle 100 steady; hogs 700; active; sheep 50; steady; all unchanged.

BILLY SUNDAY DEFENDS JEWS

Famous Evangelist Heard By 7,000 People in Cincinnati—3,000 More Outside

Three thousand people were unable to get into the big tabernacle in Cincinnati Wednesday night, to hear Billy Sunday talk on the Jews. There were 7,000 inside. The celebrated evangelist lauded the Jews and exalted his ancestry and his love for religion, and drove home point after point in his defense with the most energetic efforts that he has yet displayed in Cincinnati, says the Enquirer.

Conspicuous in the audience were a large number of Jews, who were turning out, at the evangelist's special invitation, for his sermon on Jacob and Essau and Abraham and other characters of the Old Testament.

Rev. Mr. Sunday also enumerated numerous latter day Jews who have been conspicuous in various capacities in the development of the human race, the development of the United States and the development of the world and mankind in general—all set up as shining examples of the ability to accomplish things.

Sunday did it in the most effective style of the revival. He got to "going good" early in the evening; he was going strong before the service was well under way, and he was going much stronger just as it came to an end with a cheery "good night" on his part.

He flung out, time after time, references to the "lantern-jawed, and hatchet-faced," or the "weasel-eyed, hog-jawed, bullet-headed, peanut-brained, whisky-soaked old rummies," or some such similar phrase in emphasizing this or that: he ripped up one side and down the other—part of the time in a humorous, but effective style—the man who denied happiness to his wife, and with his handkerchief working overtime, his collar wilted, and with perspiration dripping from his brow with every movement, he gave imitation of some characteristic thing or type of person in putting over his arguments effectively.

Sunday opened with the history of Jacob, whom he called the "Peter of the Old Testament," and with this as his starting point paid a high tribute to the Jewish race, and took a neat fling at Henry Ford for the manufacturer's recent attack on the Jewish people.

"If Henry Ford would confine his energy to building tin Lizzies and tractors he'd be better off. I've never considered his opinion much on anything but tin Lizzies and tractors," he said.

From this point he began a resume of some of the things that the Jewish people are responsible for—their part in building up the world.

"It was a Jew that gave the money that sent Columbus on his voyage of discovery, which resulted in the founding of America," he said. "Isabella had to hook her jewels to pay for this voyage—and she hooked them to a Jew."

A great wave of laughter followed this remark and compelled him to stop. He resumed with: "And the map Columbus used was drawn by a Jew. One of his officers was a Jew and his doctor and interpreter were Jews. And the interpreter was the first one to land on the new soil."

Drawing an example from the story of Jacob and his robbery of the birthright of Esau he asserted:

"If you'll be honest and come across with the Lord, he'll meet you fifty-fifty."

For the first time since the revival started, he delved into a bit of personal history about himself, to drive home a few points about self-honesty and he brought out the fact that his "great grandmother was born in Lexington, Ky.—I've got some Kentucky blood in me, thank God—down in Lexington, in the heart of real things."

He denounced the "weasel-eyed,

TWO FATALLY SHOT IN BOOZE FIGHT

Whisky Bandits Attack Trucks on Newport-Covington Bridge in Daylight

(By Associated Press)

Newport, Ky., March 10—Norman Ashcraft, of Bellvue, Ky., and Elmer McCabe, of Covington, were shot and probably fatally wounded today in a battle between supposed whisky bandits and men in charge of two trucks loaded of whisky which were being driven across the bridge between Covington and Newport.

The story told the police indicates that the two trucks were going from Newport to Covington. When near the Newport end of the bridge a large automobile drove in front of the leading truck. Two men leaped out and began shooting. Their fire was returned by several men on the truck. Meanwhile a cross-town street car halted between the opposing forces. Both sides used the car as a shield. The passengers, many of them girls, crouched on the floor, while 20 shots whizzed through it. When Ashcraft and McCabe fell, men from the automobile leaped into the machine and sped away. The police say Ashcraft was a member of the truck party and McCabe one of the attackers.

ed, hatchet-faced, lantern-jawed knock-kneed old neighborhood gossip, who can see more through a key hole than a decent woman can see in four blocks," and began a tirade against the prevalence of crime and the results of the crime wave, with special emphasis on the need for religion to combat crime.

"Graft has a strange hold on religion," he asserted, with an emphatic gesture. "The grafters are at work everywhere. Some contractors are securing contracts by graft. Look at that exposed in New York not long ago. They're charging the state two or three prices and a friend of mine, a preacher, told me an undertaker had offered him a rake off for all the funerals he could turn his way."

Again he took up the bludgeon against Socialism and Bolshevism as he did on the night before.

"Socialism, huh," he declared. "I'm just a plain 100 per cent American, and I want to say that the Socialist party spat on every star in our flag when they nominated Eugene Debs for the presidency of the United States, while he was a prisoner in the prison at Atlanta. That was a damnable insult to the American people."

A wave of applause indicated that his hearers agreed with him on this point. He made a plea for an equitable adjustment of conditions in this county, a scaling down of wages for the workman's cost of living, his food and his clothes had been sealed down in price correspondingly.

Turning from the general tenor of his text, that of Jacob, Sunday threw out a few choice epigrams on love and on the present-day relations between husband and wife for his audience. Waves of laughter greeted some of his sallies on their relations.

"If some of you growled about your food at the hotel like you do at home, you wouldn't have a tooth in your head," he said.

"Just start out and try to please your wife, even if it does frighten her at first."

"If you want your wife to be an angel, don't treat her like the devil"—and then when his audience appeared a bit slow in getting just what he meant—"Get me?" They did.

"Some men never hint their love to their wives until they get a thousand miles from home and send it back on a post card."

"Let your wife have some money to do with it whatever she pleases, without an accounting, and when you are shy, she will have some to loan you at 6 per cent."

"Too many big rosewood caskets, tuberoses, anchors, gates ajar, wheels with spokes broken out of them have been bought with money that ought to have been spent for a hired girl."

"The only reason some men spend so much money at the funeral is to camouflage the thing and fool some other woman so he can get another wife."